



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held November 14, 2006, the Board took the following action:

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The following item was called up for consideration:

Supervisor Antonovich's recommendation to adopt resolution implementing Section 31680.8 of the California Government Code, added by AB 2366 (Runner), which allows public safety employees who were required to retire because of age, to be reemployed by the County and reinstated to active membership in the retirement system; and request the Sheriff and any other affected County department, to report back to the Board within two weeks on the policy and procedures for implementation of this Section; also consideration of Supervisor Yaroslavsky's request for the Sheriff to report back to the Board as to whether they are in favor of implementing this action.

Supervisor Antonovich made the following revised statement:

"The Sheriff sponsored AB 2366 in order to allow public safety employees, who reached the age of 60 but wished to continue full-time employment with the Sheriff's Department, to be reinstated subsequent to retiring. However, upon further review, the Sheriff has determined that this bill will pose new, unintended challenges for the Department as well as the qualified employees. Consequently, the Sheriff wants to pursue a more sensible bill that will lift the retirement cap automatically similar to those hired after April 1997."

Victor C. Rampulla, Director of Administrative Services, and Sergeant, Legislative Advocate Wayne A. Bilowit, Legislative Unit Division, Sheriff's Department, responded to questions posed by the Board.

Steve Remige, President, Association for Los Angeles Deputy Sheriffs, also addressed the Board.

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After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Burke, unanimously carried, the Board went on record in support of the Sheriff and the Chief Administrative Officer seeking more sensible legislation that would lift the mandatory retirement age for Sheriff's employees hired prior to April 1997 similar to those hired after April 1997.

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- Sheriff